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(ONLY THE ENGLISH TEXT IS AUTHENTIC)

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(Text with EEA relevance)

THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Regulation (EC) No 726/2004 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 31 March 2004 laying down Community procedures for the authorisation and supervision of medicinal products for human and veterinary use and establishing a European Medicines Agency¹, and in particular Article 10(2) thereof,

Having regard to Commission Regulation (EC) No 1085/2003 of 3 June 2003 concerning the examination of variations to the terms of a marketing authorisation for medicinal products for human use and veterinary medicinal products falling within the scope of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2309/93², and in particular the third subparagraph of Article 4(5) thereof,

Having regard to the notifications submitted by Serono Europe Limited under Article 4(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1085/2003,

Having regard to Directive 2001/83/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 6 November 2001 on the Community code relating to medicinal products for human use³, and in particular Article 61(3) thereof,

Whereas:

(1) The European Medicines Agency acknowledged, between 18 January 2008 and 18 July 2008, the validity of the notification(s) for minor variations of type IA, informing the marketing authorisation holder accordingly, and has prepared a list of the notification(s). The variation(s) took effect from the date of the communication from the European Medicines Agency concerning the validation.

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OJ L 136, 30.4.2004, p. 1, Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 1394/2007 (OJ L 324, 10.12.2007, p. 121).

² OJ L 159, 27.6.2003, p. 24.

OJ L 311, 28.11.2001, p. 67, Directive as last amended by Directive 2008/29/EC (OJ L 81, 20.3.2008, p.51).

- (2) Serono Europe Limited submitted, under Article 61(3) of Directive 2001/83/EC, a notification(s) for changes to an aspect of the labelling or the package leaflet, which has (have) not yet been included in Decision C(1999)939 of 13 April 1999.
- (3) The marketing authorisation should be updated, and Decision C(1999)939 of 13 April 1999 amended accordingly.
- (4) For the sake of clarity and transparency, it is advisable, following the amendment of part or parts of the Annexes, to provide for a consolidated version thereof. The Annexes to Decision C(1999)939 should therefore be replaced,

HAS ADOPTED THIS DECISION:

Article 1

Decision C(1999)939 is amended as follows:

1) The following list of notifications for minor variations is added to the updated marketing authorisation.

Application number Scope (EU numbers affected)

EMEA/H/C/233/IA/0024 8.b.1 (IA) (EU/1/99/100/001-003)

2) The following list of notifications for changes to an aspect of the labelling or the package leaflet is added to the updated marketing authorisation;

Application number Annex (EU numbers affected)

EMEA/H/C/233/N/0022 IIIB (EU/1/99/100/001-003)

- 3) Annex II is replaced by the text set out in Annex II to this Decision;
- 4) Annex III B is replaced by the text set out in Annex III B to this Decision.

Article 2

This Decision is addressed to Serono Europe Limited, 56, Marsh Wall, London E14 9TP, United Kingdom.

Done at Brussels, 02-IX-2008

For the Commission Heinz ZOUREK Director-General